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Sir:

In response to the Office action of October 10, 2001, please amend the application, as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 4, delete the paragraph in lines 30 and 31, and substitute the following:

--Figure 3 shows a sectional view on the line 3-3 of FIG. 2.

Page 5, delete the paragraph in ~~lines~~ 1-16, and substitute the following:

-- Referring to FIG. 1 an irradiator 10 incorporates a stainless-steel duct 12 of internal diameter 0.31 m and of wall thickness 2 mm. To the outside of the wall are attached sixty transducer modules 14 closely packed in a square array. Each